

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
Rochester Community Schools**

Rochester Community Schools will be accepting bids for the following:

23.02 SELF PROVISIONED FIBER

Bid Due Dates: All Bid responses to this RFP/ITB must be submitted on a **USB thumb drive** in a sealed opaque envelope labeled as follows: **“Self-Provisioned Fiber Maintenance – FY2023 USF Bid”** and **“January 17, 2023”**.

All timely submitted Bids received by the District will be opened virtually at the Administration Building, 52585 Dequindre Road, Rochester, MI 48307 at 2:00 PM, January 17, 2023 for recommendation to the Board of Education at a future regularly scheduled meeting.

Bid documents may be obtained from the Rochester Community Schools Purchasing web page at <https://www.rochester.k12.mi.us/about-us/departments/purchasing> and BidNet Direct at <https://www.bidnetdirect.com>.

Bid Bond: 5% Bid Bond naming Rochester Community Schools as the obligee, or Certified Check made payable to Rochester Community Schools, required as noted in bid documents. Bid Bonds shall be issued by a company licensed to do business in the State of Michigan.

Disclosure Statements: Each bid proposal must be accompanied by a sworn and notarized statement disclosing any familial relationship that exists between owner or any employee of bidder and any member of Board of Education or Superintendent of Rochester Community Schools. Each bid proposal must also include a signed Iran Economic Sanctions Affidavit. The Board of Education will not accept a bid proposal that does not include this sworn and notarized familial disclosure statement and the Iran Economic Sanctions.

The Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, either in whole or in part; to award contract to other than the low bidder; to waive any irregularities and/or informalities; and in general to make awards in any manner deemed to be in the best interests of the owner.

Signed: Jennifer Fickel, RCS Purchasing Supervisor